

Alexandria Gazette.

MONDAY EVENING, AUG. 16, 1909.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 5:14 and sets at 6:54. High water at 8:51 a. m. and 9:13 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section shows this afternoon, partly cloudy; tonight and Tuesday not much change in temperature, moderate westerly winds.

ACCUSED DISMISSED.

As was stated in the Gazette, Dr. E. A. Gorman, health officer, on Friday was notified that a case of smallpox existed in the Braddock House, and, by direction of the doctor, cards announcing that the building is quarantined were placed on the doors. A number of the inmates of the house were vaccinated and attempts made to perform the operation upon all. W. W. Simpson, proprietor, however, refused to be vaccinated or to allow the members of his family to take the benefit of the supposed safeguard. He also refused to obey the mandate of the health officer when told he must close the stores conducted by him on the Fairfax street part of the building.

This morning Simpson opened his stores as usual, and was immediately cited by Officer Roberts to appear in the Police Court at 9 o'clock to show cause why he should not be fined for refusing to observe the health laws of the state. The accused, who was represented by Mr. Robinson Moncre, appeared at the appointed hour, when Dr. Gorman made a statement in reference to the discovery of the case of smallpox, the vaccination that followed and the refusal of Simpson to allow himself or members of his family to be vaccinated, or to close the stores conducted by him.

Simpson in his statement said that while the Braddock House is supposed to be quarantined, the occupants, numbering about 100, most of whom rent rooms by the month, are permitted to go to and fro with ease, while he was ordered to close his place for a period of fifteen days because he would not submit to vaccination. He also asserted that the patient, a woman, is segregated on the third floor of the house, and he, of course, does not come in contact with her. Besides all this, Simpson said he had no faith in vaccination, in fact he was afraid to undergo the operation himself or to allow it to be performed on members of his family, believing that vaccination sometimes superinduces blood poisoning. Should an official quarantine be placed upon the Braddock House, he said, he would close his stores. Justice Caton, in summing up the case, said the state law does not make vaccination compulsory. It did forbid the passing from city to city of infected persons, or such as are liable to spread contagious diseases. He therefore dismissed Simpson.

FINED FIVE DOLLARS.

William Wilkins, alias Edney, was brought before the Police Court this morning charged with an assault on Officer Sampson. The latter, it will be remembered, was summoned to appear last Saturday for an assault on Wilkins, and was fined \$5 by his honor. The officer subsequently procured a warrant for the arrest of Wilkins, charging him with assault. Mr. H. N. Garner represented the defendant and Mr. Robinson Moncre appeared for Officer Sampson. According to the officer's statement, Wilkins, who had been drinking, had fallen asleep last Monday night on the steps leading into a saloon at Gibson and Pitt streets, and the proprietor had requested Mr. Sampson to remove the drifter. The latter upon being awakened, used a vile epithet and struck at the officer, and the latter was compelled to use his baton. After several witnesses had been examined, Wilkins took the stand. He said he remembered sitting on the step, but was oblivious to what followed, and could not say positively who struck him on the head. Justice Caton dismissed the charge of assault preferred by Officer Sampson, saying it was a common occurrence for officers to strike refractory persons while engaged in making arrests, and fined Wilkins \$5 for being drunk on the street and creating a disturbance.

BAPTIST ASSOCIATION.

The fifty-fourth annual session of the Potomac Baptist Association, composed of fifty-seven Baptist churches, located in Alexandria city and county, Culpeper, Fairfax, Fauquier, Loudoun, Prince William and Stafford counties, convened Wednesday in the Antioch Baptist Church, Prince William county, and concluded its business Friday afternoon.

In the absence of the moderator of the last session Mr. James R. Mansfield, of Alexandria, clerk of the association, called the meeting to order. The officers elected for the ensuing year are: Moderator, Westwood Hutchinson, of Manassas; clerk of the association, James R. Mansfield, of Alexandria; assistant clerk, Robert A. Hutchinson, of Manassas; treasurer, John W. Kucheloe, of Reclortown.

FUNERAL.

The funeral of the late Miss Mattie L. Jones took place from the residence, 1104 King street, yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Charles D. Balla, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, and the interment was in the Methodist Protestant Cemetery. The pallbearers were Messrs. Henry K. Field, Frank J. Polard, J. Carlin Creighton, B. H. Cox, Brooke Carter, and Thomas Carter.

YESTERDAY.

Yesterday was a quiet, restful day, the skies were overcast and light showers of rain fell at intervals, enough to give those who wanted an excuse for staying in their homes an opportunity to do so. The churches at which services were conducted according to Saturday's announcements were almost entirely empty and comparatively few people were on the streets.

The contract for the government building in Winchester has been awarded to Leigh & Co., contractors, Louisiana. Work will be begun at once, contractors who erected the building in this city this

WEST END NOTES.

"Billy," the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. King, of 1808 Duke street, is quite sick at the Alexandria Hospital. He is suffering from typhoid fever. His condition is said to be improved.

It is stated that the Virginia Glass Works will resume work at an early date. The furnace has been relined and other improvements have been made. The factory was recently sold at auction to a gentleman from Baltimore.

Miss Olive Maddox, of Culpeper, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. Swan. Rev. S. A. Wallis preached and administered communion last night at St. John's Chapel at the toll gate.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nicols and son are the guests of Mrs. Ida at Delaplane. Mr. Everett B. Foster and family are the guests of Mrs. Theodore V. Aie.

Misses Minnie and Annie Brown will leave tomorrow for Westminster, Md., where they will spend their vacation.

Misses Jeanette and Margaret Cowling, of Berkeley, daughters of Rev. E. W. Cowling, of that place, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Julian Chamney, of West End extended.

DEATHS.

Mr. Edward Bach died yesterday morning at the Alexandria Hospital after a brief illness. He leaves a widow. The deceased was forty-two years old. He lived at 113 south Payne street. He was a member of Sarepta Lodge of Odd Fellows and had many friends in this city.

Mrs. Georgia Peyton Whalen, wife of Mr. C. O. Whalen, died yesterday morning at her residence, 1808 Duke street. She was eighteen years old. The remains were taken to Mitchell's station for interment.

Dorothy, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Griffin, died yesterday morning in Washington at the home of her parents. The remains were brought to this city today for interment. Lucy Ann Thornton, colored, died Saturday at her home, 619 south Columbus street. She was fifty-nine years old.

POLICE COURT.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.] The following cases were disposed of this morning:

William Williams, alias Edney, charged with an assault on Officer Sampson, was fined \$5.

William Fountain, colored, charged with the larceny of 60 cents from Taylor Tibbs, also colored, was dismissed.

Frederick Diggs, colored, charged with assaulting Officer Diggs, was dismissed, the complainant failing to appear.

Joe Kanner and Wm. Johnson, both colored, charged with disorderly conduct, were fined \$5 each.

A young man, charged with disorderly conduct, was fined \$5.

W. W. Simpson, charged with refusing to obey the health laws, was dismissed.

AWAITING THE GUARDS.

As was stated in the Gazette, the Clerk of the Corporation Court has requested guards from the Richmond penitentiary to come to this city and remove to that institution Calvin Johnson, Richard Pines and Eugene Dorsey, who were recently sentenced to be electrocuted for the murder of Walter F. Schultz on the night of the 6th of last March. The arrival of the guards is looked for daily. The three men still assert that they are innocent of the crime for which they were convicted. They now spend most of their time reading their Bible and in praying and singing hymns. The first execution will take place on September 3rd, the second on the 10th and the third on the 17th.

WITHDREW CHARGE.

The case of a young man, who was arrested last Friday night at the instance of a young woman who charged him with leading her astray and refusing to marry her, has been stricken from the docket of the Police Court. The accused, it will be remembered, was brought before the tribunal on Saturday, but, at the request of the defendant, the case was continued until this morning to allow him time in which to procure counsel. The prosecutrix in the meantime determined to withdraw the charge she made against the young man.

ADDRESS ON CALVIN.

The address on "Calvin and His Times," delivered by Rev. Mr. Halladay in the second Presbyterian Church yesterday morning was interesting and instructive throughout. The speaker gave vivid pictures of the political and religious condition of Europe during the fifty-five years in which Calvin flourished, and the important part he played during the exciting times in the world's history. Mr. Halladay's address had been prepared with care, and he was listened to with close attention by his congregation.

A NEW LAUNCH.

Messrs. C. R. and W. Key Howard, of this city, were in Alexandria Friday for the purpose of inspecting different types of gasoline marine engines, with a view of purchasing one. They purchased a 20-horse-power Emerson engine, which will be shipped here immediately, and which will furnish the motive power for a launch that Mr. Key Howard is building. This boat will be launched in a few days, and bids fair to be one of the fastest and finest on the river. [Fredericksburg Journal.]

Complaint has often been made of disorderly conduct late at night on the wharf at the foot of Cameron street. Such procedures are generally carried on previous to and after the arrival of the Colonial Beach steamer. Officers Sampson and Arrington appeared on the wharf at an opportune time last night and arrested a young man whom they charged with drunken and disorderly conduct. He was brought before the Police Court this morning and fined \$5.

Light showers of rain fell yesterday and last night and early this morning there was a down-pour that was greatly needed. At noon today the skies cleared beautifully and the mercury registered 78°.

Summer reduction on all low shoes at John A. Marshall & Bro., 422 King street.

Free Crabpicking TO-NIGHT at JACOB BRILL'S
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Open Evenings Until 10 p. m.

PERSONAL.

Former Mayor E. E. Downham has gone to Saratoga Springs to spend a few weeks.

Mrs. Phillip Bradshaw is the guest of Mrs. C. D. Hammerly, in Leesburg.

Mrs. F. S. Harper has returned from her summer vacation.

Messrs. W. E. Lovejoy, W. H. Yates and R. O. Lambeth, left on Saturday afternoon for Asheville and Lake Towaway, N. C., to attend a meeting of the timekeepers of the Southern Railway.

Miss Mary Phillips and Miss Beale Jones have gone to The Plains, where they will be the guests of Miss Della Beverly.

Miss Beza Stratton has returned from a two-weeks visit to her sister, Miss Mary Stratton, in Lynchburg.

Miss Katherine Dainingerfeld, formerly of this city, but now of Baltimore, who has been at Duess Viala with her mother, Mrs. Henry Dainingerfeld, and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Barbara Dainingerfeld, is visiting Mrs. Walter B. Brooks and Miss Frances Brooks, at Bar Harbor.

Mr. Robert E. Nalls has gone to New York and Canada to spend several weeks.

Mrs. Laura B. Taylor and daughter, Mrs. Harry Chisholm, of Philadelphia, Pa., are visiting Mrs. James Hepburn on Queen street.

Mrs. Mary Crockett and Master Leroy Robey have gone to Colonial Beach to spend two weeks.

Mrs. T. W. Nugent has gone to Altoona, Pa., to spend a few weeks.

Mr. W. T. B. Blanchard is in Lynchburg on a visit to his wife, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. T. G. Spradlin, for the past two months.

Mr. D. M. Low, Jr., who has been connected with the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company, of this city, for the past five years, has been transferred to Alexandria, where he goes in the capacity of superintendent. [Lynchburg News.]

Mr. Robert Turner Mayo of Baltimore, nephew of Mr. J. L. Mayo, is on a short visit to Alexandria.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Anderson have returned from a visit of several weeks to Atlantic City.

Mrs. Fannie E. Williams and daughters, Miss Daisy Williams and Miss Mary Williams, and Mrs. Mary E. Kelly have returned from a trip to Atlantic City.

Mrs. Frances S. Danenhower left today for a few weeks stay at Atlantic City.

Dr. Bitzer returned today from a short stay at East Northfield, Mass.

Miss Beale Markell has returned from a week's visit to friends in Norfolk.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Davis and Miss Julia Davis, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd G. Saunders and Mr. Harvey Francis have returned from a two weeks vacation at St. George's Island.

Miss Nannie Whiting has returned from a week's stay at St. George's Island.

Mr. Sylvan Blondheim left yesterday to spend sometime at Old Point, Norfolk and Newport News.

Mrs. George R. McCauley and her daughter, Miss Edna, are visiting in Leesburg.

Mr. W. C. Breen and family have returned from a visit to relatives in Strasburg.

Mrs. T. B. Jones and her son, Master Clifford Jones have returned from a visit to King George county.

MYSTERIOUS FIGURE.

Last Saturday night at the witching hour when graveyards are said to yaw open, two young men were proceeding along Hunting creek road, a short distance south of this city, when, according to their statements, they saw a figure, supposed to be that of a woman, attired in immaculate white but wearing a sable veil, walking ahead of them. They said they accelerated their footsteps, but the figure moved faster than its followers, either walking or gliding so fast that it was impossible to gain on it. The young men, who by this time had drawn near their respective homes, entered and told of their experience.

BASEBALL.

In a game of ball Saturday afternoon the Cardinal Athletic Club defeated the Bailey's Cross Roads nine by the score of 25 to 1. The feature of the game was the batting of Murphy, O'Brien, and Trenary. Trenary's pitching was also good, holding the Cross Roads to two hits.

The Alexandria bank clerks and the clerks of the Potomac Brewing Company will play a game of ball on north Alfred street grounds this evening at 8 o'clock.

AMUSEMENTS.

A crowded house greeted the management of the Opera House on the opening of the vaudeville season Saturday night. That the excellent pictures and first-class vaudeville were appreciated was proven by the loud applause which greeted each player. The programme of Saturday will be continued the first three nights of this week, and commencing Thursday new vaudeville and different people will hold forth. Pictures changed nightly.

All low shoes at cost price for a few days only at John A. Marshall & Bro., 422 King street.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Prof. H. P. Holler has moved his Oriental College from this city to Washington.

The feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virginia was observed in St. Mary's church yesterday.

The bridge over the culvert at the intersection of Wythe and Alfred streets, is in a dangerous condition.

Mr. Jos. F. Rodgers has been engaged to make extensive improvements to the Florence Critchfield Mission in Washington.

Mr. J. D. Normoyle has sold for Mrs. Ruth M. Crawford, of Washington, to Mr. Worth Hufsh, the three story brick dwelling No. 1012 Prince street.

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MEMBERS of Alexandria Council No. 33, J. O. P. A. are notified to assemble at their hall TOMORROW (Tuesday) afternoon at 3 o'clock to attend the funeral of B. other Edward Beach. J. E. MANSFIELD, Secretary.

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